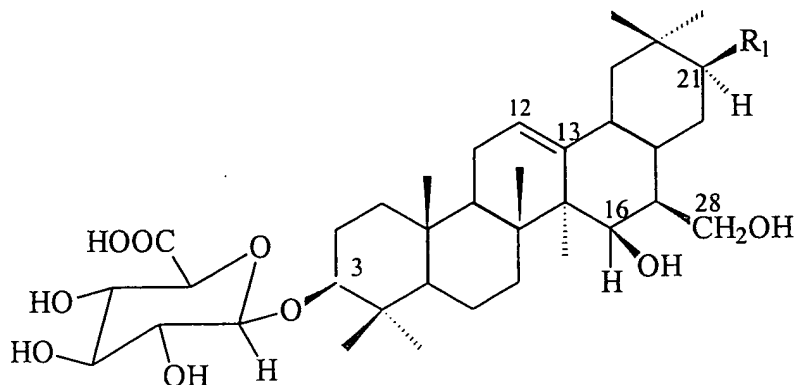


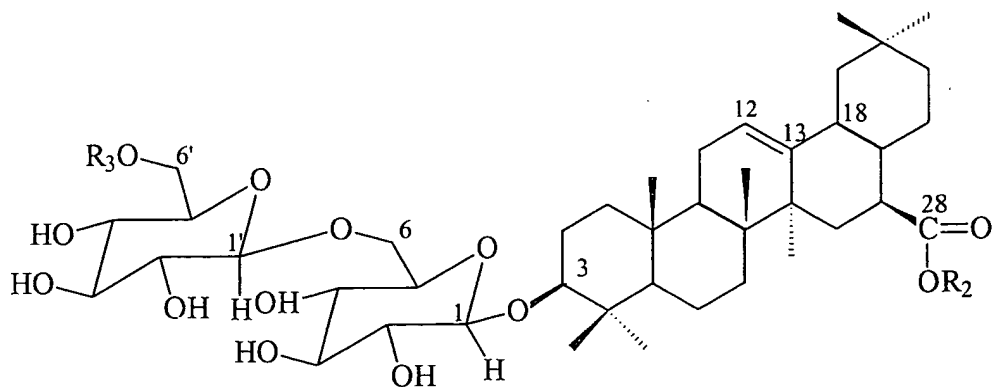
IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend the claims as follows:

1. (Currently Amended) A gymnemic acid ~~Gymnemic Acid~~ derivative of general formula I or general formula II,

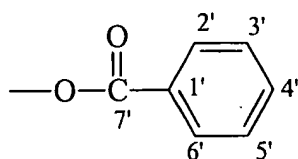


Formula I

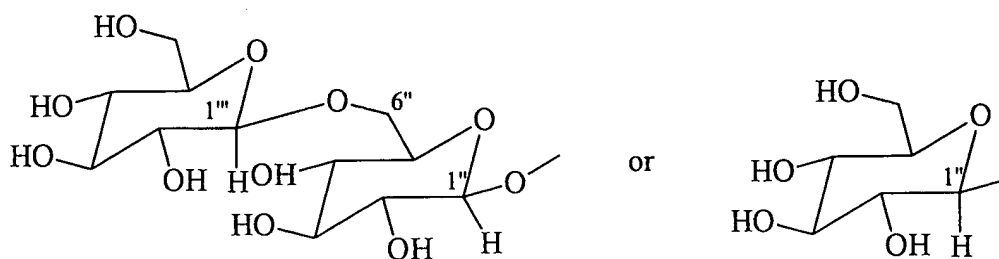


Formula II

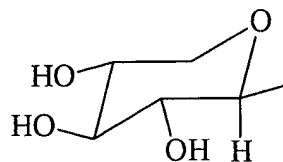
wherein, R_1 is H or the radical represented by the following formula



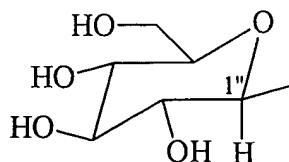
R_3 is H, and R_2 symbolizes the following radical, ~~or~~



or R_3 symbolizes the following radical,



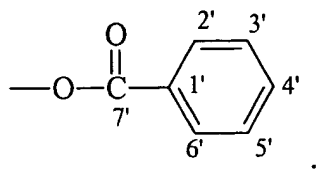
R_2 is H or the following radical,



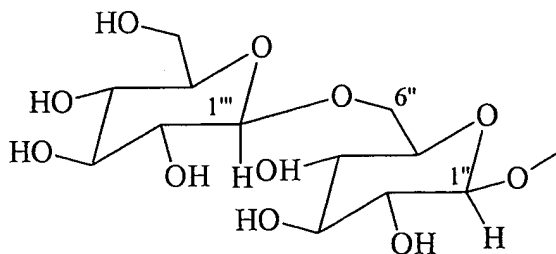
or a pharmaceutically acceptable base addition salt thereof.

2. (Currently Amended) The gymnemic acid derivative ~~Gymnemic~~
~~Acid derivatives~~ of claim 1, wherein R₁ in formula I is hydrogen.

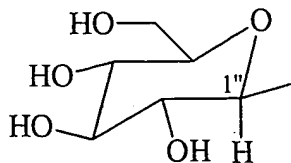
3. (Currently Amended) The gymnemic acid derivative ~~Gymnemic~~
~~Acid derivatives~~ of claim 1, wherein R₁ in formula I is a group of
the formula:



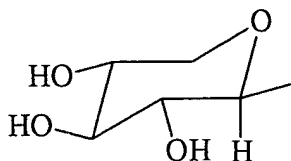
4. (Currently Amended) The gymnemic acid derivative ~~Gymnemic~~
~~Acid derivatives~~ of claim 1, wherein R₃ in formula II is hydrogen,
R₂ is group of formula:



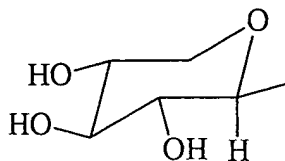
5. (Currently Amended) The gymnemic acid derivative ~~Gymnemic~~
~~Acid derivatives~~ of claim 1, wherein R₃ in formula II is hydrogen,
R₂ is group of formula:



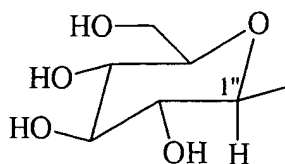
6. (Currently Amended) The gymnemic acid derivative ~~Gymnemic Acid derivatives~~ of claim 1, wherein R_2 in formula II is hydrogen, R_3 is group of formula:



7. (Currently Amended) The gymnemic acid derivative ~~Gymnemic Acid derivatives~~ of claim 1, wherein R_3 in formula II is group of formula



R_2 is group of formula:



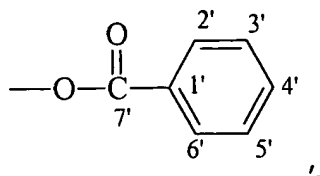
8. (Currently Amended) A pharmaceutical ~~Pharmaceutical~~ composition which contains at least one kind of ~~Gymnemic Acid~~ gymnemic acid derivative of formula I and/or II of claim 1 or pharmaceutical base addition salt thereof as active ingredient, a pharmaceutical carrier and an excipient.

9. (Currently Amended) A pharmaceutical ~~Pharmaceutical~~ composition ~~for the prevention or treatment of the diseases associated with hyperglycemia, hyperlipidemia and platelets aggregation,~~ which contains at least one kind of ~~Gymnemic Acid~~ gymnemic acid derivative of formula I and/or II of claim 1 or pharmaceutical base addition salt thereof as a an active ingredient, a pharmaceutical carrier and an excipient.

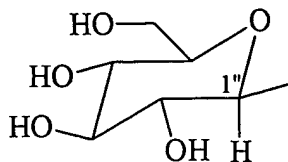
10. (Previously Amended) ~~A composition~~ The derivative of claim 1, which contains ~~Gymnemic~~ the gymnemic Acid derivative of formula I and/or II, wherein based on the weight of the composition, the ~~contents~~ amount of compounds A,B,C,D,E and F is 1.25-2.10% compound A, 0.89-1.50% compound B, 2.40-3.80% compound C, 2.10-3.40% compound D, 2.74-4.60% compound E and 3.24-5.40% compound F, wherein

A is the gymnemic acid derivative of formula I where R_1 is H,

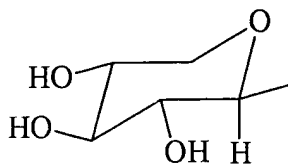
B is the gymnemic acid derivative of formula I where R_1 is the following group



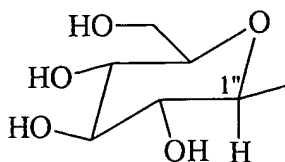
C is the gymnemic acid derivative of formula II where R_3 is H and R_2 is the following group



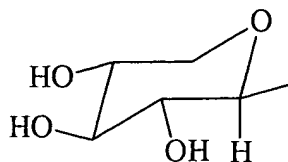
D is the gymnemic acid derivative of formula II where R_2 is H and R_3 is the following group



E is the gymnemic acid derivative of formula II where R_2 is the following group

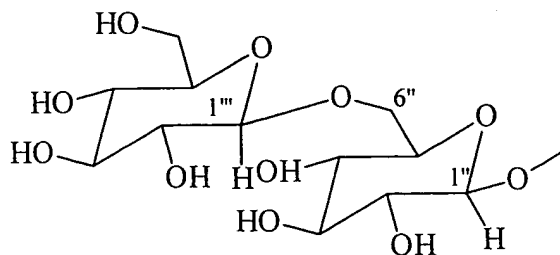


and R_3 is the following group



, and

F is the gymnemic acid derivative of formula II where R_3 is H and R_2 is the following group



11. (Currently Amended) A An extract of Gymnema sylvestre.R.Br which contains 12.5-40wt% ~~Gymnemic~~ gymnemic acid derivatives of formula I and formula II of claim 1.

12. (Currently Amended) ~~Use of Gymnemic Acid derivative of formula I and II or the extract containing Gymnemic Acid derivative of formula I and II for the manufacture of medicament~~ A method for the prevention or treatment of the diseases and conditions associated with hyperglycemia, hyperlipidemia and platelets aggregation, which comprises:

administering to a patient in need thereof an effective dose of the gymnemic acid derivative of claim 1 and a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier.

13. (Currently Amended) A method of the preparation of Gymnemic Acid derivative of formula I and II of claim 1 or a

pharmaceutical base addition salt hereof, which includes the following steps:

e) a) extracting the plant Gymnema cane with ethanol under reflux and then concentrating;

d) b) extracting concentrated liquid in step a) with cyclohexane , then extracting with n-butanol, concentrating to dryness under reduced pressure, and then obtaining a an ointment;

c) subjecting the ointment in step b) to silica column chromatography with ~~elute as~~ as eluant chloroform: methanol=90:10-50:5 or 90:10-60:40, obtaining Gymnemic acid derivative of formula I and residue;

d) subjecting the residue in step c) to C₁₈ column chromatography with ~~methal/water~~ methanol/water (20/80-40/60), obtaining ~~Gymnemic~~ the gymnemic acid derivative of formula II; and

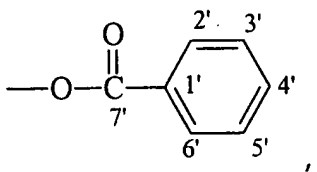
e) ~~if desired,~~ converting the obtained ~~Gymnemic~~ gymnemic acid derivative of formula I or II into pharmaceutical base addition salt with inorganic or organic base.

14. (Currently Amended) ~~A composition~~ The derivative of claim 2, which contains ~~Gymnemic Acid~~ the gymnemic acid derivative of formula I and/or II, wherein based on the weight of the composition, the ~~contents~~ amount of compounds A,B,C,D,E and F is 1.25-2.10% compound A, 0.89-1.50% compound B, 2.40-3.80% compound

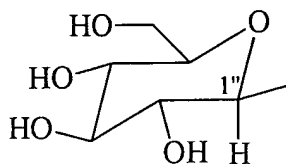
C, 2.10-3.40% compound D, 2.74-4.60% compound E and 3.24-5.40% compound F, wherein

A is the gymnemic acid derivative of formula I where R_1 is H,

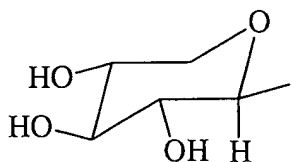
B is the gymnemic acid derivative of formula I where R_1 is the following group



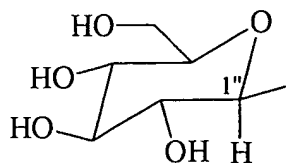
C is the gymnemic acid derivative of formula II where R_3 is H and R_2 is the following group



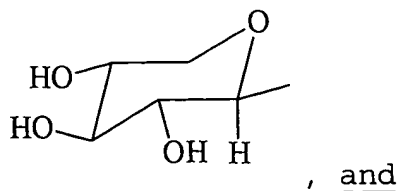
D is the gymnemic acid derivative of formula II where R_2 is H and R_3 is the following group



E is the gymnemic acid derivative of formula II where R_2 is the following group



and R_3 is the following group



F is the gymnemic acid derivative of formula II where R_3 is H and R_2 is the following group

